

SENATE BILL 1307

By Watson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
Chapter 4, to authorize the issuance of Native
American license plates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(5), is amended by
adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(_) Native American;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by
adding the following as a new section thereto:

Section 55-4-2__.

(a) An owner or lessee of a motor vehicle who is a resident of this state,
upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and
licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor
vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203, shall be issued a Native American
cultural license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The cultural plates provided for in this section shall be designed in
consultation with the commission of Indian affairs.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.